

Montana Army National Guard



Draft Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Development and Operation of a Limited Army Aviation Support Facility in Billings, Montana



The Montana Army National Guard (MTARNG) proposes to begin aviation operations out of a private leased hangar in Billings, MT. The proposed action is needed to increase readiness and expand MTARNG aviation capabilities. The location will help fill an existing coverage deficiency in eastern Montana. The proposed action will provide soldiers in eastern Montana more access to training, improve response times in emergency situations, increase potential interagency partnerships, reduce operational costs, and increase recruiting and retention opportunities.



The Draft EA is available for public review. All persons and organizations with interest in the Proposed Action, including minority, low income, and disadvantaged communities, are urged to participate in the environmental process and provide comments.

Per 32 CFR 651.14, the Draft EA will be available for a 30-day public review and comment period.

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406.324.3087, or the Billings Public

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Period runs from April 18—May 19, 2022.